

TO TURN THE APPOMATTOX

Diversion of Stream Slow but Sure.

RED TAPE TO UNWIND

Safe Crackers Make Daring Burglary of a Safe and Secure Small Loot. Four Sermons on Living Problems.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Oct. 8.—In response to a telephone communication from E. E. Winslow, United States engineer, Norfolk, Va., a delegation from the committee in this city went to Norfolk yesterday afternoon to confer with Engineer Winslow in reference to the plan for the diversion of Appomattox River. All matters concerning this project are progressing in a manner entirely satisfactory, and it is not probable that the beginning of this improvement will be much longer delayed. The engineer is now making specifications for the work and bids will be asked for as soon as these have been completed.

With the United States government on one side and railway corporations on the other, and the city between, much time is necessarily taken up in correspondence, since all matters from either party come first to the committee in Petersburg for consideration.

MERE FORMALITIES.
There are a few matters yet to be arranged between the railway companies and the government, but they are mostly matters of details about which the companies and the government are one. The usual formalities must prevail, however, and all correspondence must proceed through the proper course before these matters are formally arranged. As soon as this is done and the specifications made, it may be expected that the beginning of the work will not be further deferred.

The committee in Petersburg, of which Mr. Carter R. Bishop is chairman, has done all in its power to expedite the work, and they are exceedingly well pleased with the progress now being made.

SAFE CRACKERS.
Safe crackers with dynamite wrecked the large safe of the Virginia Chemical company in this city last night and got only \$20 for their daring and destruction.

The night watchman was in another part of the building when the burglary occurred, and, therefore, knows nothing of it. There is no clue to the robbers. Three strangers were seen in the city Monday and Officer Heelan reported to headquarters that he believed the men were safe blowers, but there was not suspicion enough to justify any arrests being made.

M. W. P. Aldridge, who has been conducting a bicycle and general repair business in this city, made a deed of assignment to-day to Mr. John D. Williams, trustee, conveying all his business interests.

Miss Kate Elmore Puller, an elocutionist of rare ability, will appear at the Young Men's Christian Association to-morrow night for the benefit of the Street Methodist Church. This will be the first of the series of entertainments which Mr. Isham Dyer will give at the Young Men's Christian Association to take the place of the Y. M. C. A. Star Course, which has been discontinued.

THIEVES.
Thieves, supposed to be small boys, broke into the store of Mr. W. H. Deamond, on Sycamore Street, last night. They did not carry off much booty.

The body of Mrs. Archer was brought from Williamsport, Pa., and was buried to-day. Mr. Archer and his wife recently moved to Williamsport from Ettrick.

A party of thirty ladies and gentlemen from the Masonic Benevolent Association, met in session in Richmond, will reach Petersburg to-morrow morning by way of City Point. They will be taken over the battlefields around the city by Mr. C. A. Clarke.

Beginning next Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Booker, of High-Street Church, will preach a series of sermons on the several subjects, "The Solution of Living Problems in the Light of Christianity." The subjects for the four nights are:

I. Sunday night, October 11th—"Is It Right for a Christian Nation to Declare and Wage War?"

II. Sunday night, October 18th—"How Amicable Relations May Be Established and Maintained Between the Capitalist and the Laborer."

III. Sunday night, October 25th—"Our Duty With Respect to Our 'Brother in Black,' or the Future of the American Negro."

IV. Sunday night, November 1st—"The Reign of the Demagogue in American Politics, and How He May Be De-throned."

CROWD AT AMHERST

Supervisors Do Not Want Convicts During Winter Months.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AMHERST, VA., Oct. 8.—A special examination of teachers, the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors and the annual meeting of the Mutual Benefit Fire Insurance Company, a local organization of Amherst county, all held in the courthouse here Tuesday, caused a considerable gathering of people from all over the county.

At the meeting of the county fathers there was much discussion as to the policy to be pursued this winter in regard to the convict road force which has been at work on the public roads for nearly two years. The board are anxious if such an arrangement can be made with the State authorities to send the convicts back to Richmond for the winter months, and take them back again next spring, as the expense of carrying them through the winter is enormous, and scarcely any work can be done on dirt roads. This matter will be taken up with the State authorities at an early day.

Mr. A. J. Burford, a well known farmer of this county, lost a barn filled with tobacco Tuesday by fire.

The apple crop in this county is now being barreled and shipped to market. Apple growing became quite an industry in this county and brings in a considerable revenue to the farmers.

Some new tobacco is being carried in by wagon to the Lynchburg market.

GOVERNOR MONTAGUE

GOES DUCKING

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STUAMOUNT, VA., Oct. 8.—Governor Montague arrived here this evening, and is visiting at Rosehill, the summer home of Senator Cochran, of Pennsylvania. He and Colonel Saunders will spend to-morrow in ducking and hunting on the Rosehill famous mill pond.

FOUR THOUSAND FOR A PENNY

Every penny invested in a Tee-Dee Want Ad. places that want ad. before four thousand intelligent and well-to-do eyes. Of course one cent will not pay for the whole want ad.; nor is four thousand the whole number of readers, but that's the ratio. The want ad. will cost 25c, and

One Hundred Thousand

pairs of eyes will read it. The Times-Dispatch has the widest circulation of any paper in Virginia, and that's one reason why Tee-Dee Want Ad.'s pay better than any others. Another reason is the intelligent class of readers who read the Tee-Dee. Of course you know Tee-Dee means

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EXCITING CHASE

AFTER A NEGRO

He Shot at an Officer and Was Pursued by a Posse.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CULPEPER, VA., Oct. 8.—A great excitement was created here this evening at 6 o'clock when Officer W. J. Oliver was assaulted with intent to kill by a negro, Sam King, one of the men employed in the camp of W. J. Oliver & Company, double-trucking the Southern Railway through this county.

The negro displayed a pistol, and when the officer attempted to arrest him, he shot at Officer Oliver three times, but without effect, and he then ran, pursued by a posse for a distance of one mile and a half, and hid in a barn on the farm of Mr. Granville, where he was captured and brought back to town and safely imprisoned.

He will be given a hearing before Mayor Alden Bell to-morrow.

NEW SCIENCE HALL

Building Let to Contract and Grounds to be Improved.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LEXINGTON, VA., October 8.—The new science hall at Washington and Lee University, to be used for the engineering department, has been let to the building firm of W. B. Snead and Company, of Lynchburg, Va. The foundation, which is being built by the University, is about complete, and work on the new structure will begin at once. The time set for its completion is the middle of next June.

The new building is located just in the rear of Newcomb Hall, and will face the railroad. The grounds back of the University buildings will be graded and laid out into a campus, containing walks and lawns.

Protracted services are being held at Trinity Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Light, is being assisted by the local pastors of Lexington. Rev. Charles Manly, of the Presbyterian Church, preached Monday night; Rev. Dr. Thornton Whaling, of the Presbyterian Church, Tuesday night; Rev. Dr. J. A. Quarles, of Washington and Lee University, Wednesday night, and Rev. E. H. Hudson, Madison Street Methodist Church, Thursday night. Next Sunday, W. Va., will preach every night.

DIED IN HIS BUGGY
Prominent Resident of Fauquier Taken Ill in Church.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARRENTON, VA., Oct. 8.—Mr. Robert L. Payne, supervisor of Cedar Run District and a prominent resident of lower Fauquier, was taken suddenly ill and died while at church near Bristersburg Monday evening. Mr. Payne was seen to arise from his seat during services and hastily leave the building.

When church had ended he was found lying dead, face down, across his vehicle death having overtaken him before he could drive to his house.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS

Work to Start at Once on a Plant for William and Mary.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Oct. 8.—William and Mary College is soon to have electric lights. Mr. Brown, an electrician of Richmond, arrived here to-day with two assistants, and will commence work on a plant that will cost about \$5,000.

Mr. C. B. Chapman will leave in a few days for his home in England, where Mr. Chapman has purchased a large amount of real estate in this section during his two years' residence here.

Bon Air Bits.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BON AIR, VA., Oct. 8.—Mrs. B. W. Dabney, with two of her granddaughters, Misses Susie Dabney and Mattie Coker, all of Richmond, Va., and Miss Alice Caldwell, of Enfield, are visiting friends in Bon Air.

Mr. F. H. Dunn, who was so seriously hurt by an accidental fall while on a visit to Powhatan this summer, has so far recovered as to be able to walk out in her yard now.

FALLING HAIR STOPPED.

Baldness Cured by Destroying the Parasitic Germ That Causes It.

Baldness follows falling hair, falling hair follows dandruff, and dandruff is the result of a germ digging its way into the scalp to the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality of the hair. To destroy this germ and prevent as well as cure dandruff, falling hair, and baldness. There is only one preparation known to do that, Newbro's Herpetide, an entirely new, scientific discovery. Wherever it has been tried it has proven wonderfully successful. It can be obtained, because it utterly destroys the dandruff germ. "You destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 1c in stamps for sample to The Herpetide Co., Detroit, Mich. Owens & Minor Drug Co., Special Agents.

RECEIVERS DISCHARGED

Oliver Refining Company at Heavy Expense.

ONE FOR THE BAY SHORE

The Terminal Company Unable to Complete its Lines and Wants a Receiver to Do It—Alleged Illegally Registered Voters.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 8.—The receivers for the Oliver Refining Company were to-day discharged by order of the Federal Court. Nearly \$20,000 expense was incurred during the receivership including a fee to W. L. Marbury, of Baltimore, as counsel of \$2,000.

Following a confession of judgment in the Court of Law and Chancery, for \$2,333.16, this afternoon by the Bay Shore Terminal Company in favor of Henry E. Pinck, of Baltimore, suit was entered by him in the United States Court for the appointment of a receiver for the Bay Shore Company. The suit, which is taken to be a friendly one on the part of Mr. Pinck, was filed by Judge Thomas B. Wilcox, as counsel. The plaintiff in the present proceedings says that the Bay Shore, which in March, 1902, gave the Atlantic Trust and Deposit Company a mortgage for \$500,000, selling a good many bonds, covered by this suit, and placing on deposit as collateral security, bonds to cover an indebtedness of \$100,000, is now without sufficient money to complete its lines and that a receiver is necessary.

It is to have the receiver complete the road, which the plaintiff says will then be a most valuable piece of property. It is asked that the Atlantic Trust and Deposit Company be made a party defendant.

DISMISSED.

The alleged illegal registration cases were dismissed in the Police Court this morning. There was still no further evidence that J. C. Corprew lived in Plymouth, N. C., who is registered in Norfolk, than the telegram from the mayor of Plymouth, which was ruled out as evidence.

George W. West is attached to the United States Collier Sterling, and is almost constant at sea. This is his home, however, although an effort was made to prove that he lived in Portsmouth. F. C. Ward proved that his dual registration was a mistake. This is believed to settle the crusade that has been waged by the Day people.

BIG DRY-DOCK.

Work is progressing steadily on the great million dollar concrete dry-dock at this navy-yard. The contractor has a very large force at work. All the necessary preliminaries for the dock have been completed and the excavations of the mammoth hole will begin in a few weeks.

The officers of the department of construction and repair are taking the deepest interest in the progress of the work, because it means much to their department. The insufficient docking of ships, the great battleships of the navy have been a source of great loss to the yard, and of much inconvenience to the construction department.

The Illinois and the Maine, both types of the latest advance in battleship construction, and the building of the Maine would have been worth thousands of dollars to the yard, have been turned away, the Maine twice in the past year.

The building of the new dry-dock will eliminate this unpleasant and exasperating state of affairs.

CLAIMS PERSECUTION.
Deputy Sheriff Huybert, of Norfolk county, protests that he is being made the victim of unjust charges. The officer says that the assault he is charged with committing upon Mr. Duncan at the polls at Hall's Corner Precinct, is one that any man with a drop of blood in his body would have committed under similar circumstances.

The Straightshots state that there would have been no occasion for any encounter between Mr. Huybert and the voter in question, had the former not interfered with the primary, with which, they say, he had nothing to do.

They still regard the assault as an outrage and will make application to the court for the removal or punishment in some manner of the officer.

No Damage.

An alarm was turned in from box 75 last night at 10 o'clock and engines 1 and 2 and Truck Company No. 3 responded, but there was no damage, a few shingles having burned on the roof of a small house on Preston Street near Brook Avenue.

LANGLEY WILL NOT ADMIT FAILURE

Confidence in His Aerodrome Not Lessened by Failure of Wednesday.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 8.—Speaking of yesterday's experiment at Wide Water with his aerodrome, Professor Langley said to-day that he was not an eye witness of the experiment, having been delayed in Washington by business, but that Mr. Manly's first impression that there had been defective balancing was corrected by a minute examination, when the clutch which held the aerodrome on the launching ways and which should have released it was found to be injured. Professor Langley said:

"The machinery was working perfectly and giving every reason to anticipate a successful flight, when this accident, due wholly to the launching ways, drew the aerodrome abruptly downward at the moment of release and cast it into the water near the house boat. The statement that the machine failed for lack of power to fly was wholly a mistaken one."

The engine, the frame, and all the more important parts were practically uninjured. The engine is actually in good working order. The damage done was confined to the slighter portions, like the canvas, wings and propellers, and these will be readily replaced.

"The belief of those charged with the experiments in the ultimate success of the working of the machine is no way affected by this accident, which is one of the large chapter of accidents that beset the initial stages of experiments so novel as the present ones. It is chiefly unfortunate as coming near the end of the season, when outdoor work of this sort is possible."

Whether the experiments will be completed this year or not has not been determined.

JUST A STRAW

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE N. & W.

Old Board and Officers Are Re-Elected—L. E. Johnson Pres't, Member of Board.

(By Associated Press.)
ROANOKE, VA., Oct. 8.—The seventh annual meeting of the stockholders of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company was held to-day in the office of President L. E. Johnson. Over 80 percent of the whole stock was represented.

The meeting was presided over by the president, and the annual report was approved. The question of the merger or consolidation of several roads in the Roanoke region was considered and their action was unanimously approved. The roads are three in number and all are contiguous to the Norfolk and Western, and are as follows: The Lumber and Southern, the Roanoke and Big River, the Roanoke and Potomac, and the Roanoke and Shenandoah.

No change was made in the Board of Directors, except that Mr. Johnson was elected in place of the late President J. F. Kimball.

The newly elected board stands as follows: President, L. E. Johnson; Vice-President, Joseph Doran, John P. Green, Philadelphia; James McCracken, Philadelphia; Samuel R. N. P. Shortridge, Philadelphia; W. H. Taylor, of Norfolk, Va.; and the directors elected are the following: President and General Manager, L. E. Johnson, Roanoke, Va.; Chairman of Board, Henry Fink, New York; Secretary and Assistant Treasurer, A. J. Hemphill, Philadelphia, Pa.; Treasurer and Assistant Secretary, J. B. Lacy, Roanoke, Va.; Freight Traffic Manager, J. B. Lacy, Roanoke, Va.; General Superintendent, N. D. Maher, Roanoke, Va.; Superintendent Transportation, D. E. Spangler, Roanoke, Va.; General Solicitor, Joseph I. Doran, Philadelphia.

The office of superintendent of transportation was created and the new head at present the car service agent of the road. The annual report shows total earnings of \$1,000,000, an increase of \$2,500,000 over the year 1907. The net earnings for the year over the expenses for operating were \$5,500,000.

TO PLAY THE MIDDIES

Virginia Prepares With Stiff Practice for the Annapolis Game.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Oct. 8.—The University of Virginia football eleven was put through a stiff practice this afternoon, as it will be the last line-up before the game with the Naval Cadets at Annapolis, on Saturday. After a half hour signal practice, the Varsity was lined up against the scrub. Two halves of fifteen minutes each were played and at the expiration of that time both eleven were met in the center of the field. The game was a hard fought one, but the Varsity won by a score of 14 to 0.

Some individual coaching was then given by the various players and it was at 4:30 o'clock when the gymnasium was reached.

The Virginia team will leave Charlottesville at 5:40 to-morrow afternoon, over the Southern Railway. The night will be spent in Washington, and the start made for Annapolis about 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Twenty men will compose the party, including Manager Walter F. Scott, Assistant Manager E. H. Miller, Jr., Coach Gresham Poe, and Physical Director W. A. Lambeth and sixteen players.

As officially given out to-day, Virginia's line up against the Middies will be as follows:

Full, left end, 167 pounds; Johnson (captain), left end, 182 pounds; Elmer, left guard, 220 pounds; Williamson, center, 170 pounds; Spates, right guard, 175 pounds; Council, right tackle, 182 pounds; Cooke, right end, 161 pounds; Pollard, quarter back, 144 pounds; Head, left half back, 127 pounds; Wall, right half back, 138 pounds; Watkins, full back, 163 pounds. Average, 170 4-11 pounds.

In the past ten years, Virginia has played three games with the Naval Cadets, winning twice and losing twice. On November 2, 1893, Virginia won, 12-0; in 1897 the Naval Cadets won, 4-0, and again the following year, 6-0.

Johnnie and Nelson Poe, who assisted their brother, Gresham, were in the line-up. The team will go down to Annapolis to witness the contest. Johnnie DeSaules, Virginia's coach of last year, is also expected from New York. After the game he will return with the team to Charlottesville and spend a week or more in helping the players to get in shape for the remaining contests on the schedule.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Waldorf, G. J. Leary, J. V. Scott, Morton, R. L. Stevens, Astor, D. B. Kahnweiler, Victor, J. W. Nokes, T. T. Sullivan, G. W. Poe, Imperial, G. Gray.

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(Special from a Staff Correspondent.)
TAEZEWELL, TAEZEWELL COUNTY, VA., Oct. 8.—About one hundred and fifty years ago an Irishman named Burke was hunting along the banks of a stream in Grayson county and started an elk. He named the stream Elk Creek. He pursued the elk for a number of miles through the wilderness, and when it reached the banks of another small stream in Wythe county the hunter succeeded in getting a shot. He did not kill his game, but he crippled it. He brought it to the settlement where he had the stream named Cripple Creek. The Irishman would not give up the chase, and followed the deer over the mountains until he came into a beautiful valley, where the trees were not so thick nor the undergrowth so nearly impenetrable. There were some cleared spots in the valley, as though portions of the land might have been cultivated at an earlier day. The chase had been so long and wearying that the hunter determined to give it up, so he camped.

The next morning he was even more impressed by the beauty of the section, and it occurred to him that it would make a fine farm. He had in his satchel a few potatoes, which he proceeded to plant in an open space, and then he took his way toward his home in the southeast, probably somewhere near the waters on New River.

But in the fall of the year he came back to the valley, and finding the spot where he had planted the potatoes a few months before, he proceeded to dig them out to see if they had matured. Never had he seen such a bountiful yield, and that without cultivation.

CHIEF OF HIS TREASURE.
The upshot of the matter was that Burke came and settled in the valley. He was a surveyor by trade, and he laid out a tract, which he desired to patent. The surveyor laid off the land, but took out the patent in his own name. However, he allowed Burke to have about three hundred acres.

The old story told of the genesis of the settlement of Burke's Garden, perhaps the most celebrated tract of farming country of the same size in the United States. Thousands of visitors go to the valley every year to see the wonderful topography, and to admire the system of cultivation which can make a mountain of so many thousands of acres. The valley, which is called Burke's Garden, runs northeast and southwest. It is about nine miles long and five miles wide. It is entirely surrounded by mountains. The only entrances are by the road which runs from the north, and the road which runs from the south, and the road from Tazewell on the northeast. Burke's Creek, which rises in the mountains on the southern side, flows through the valley and passes out through the gap by which the road from Tazewell enters. There is no other means of exit from the valley, and the road comes down to the edge of the valley at every point. The farmers have cleared away the forest nearly to the tops of the peaks at some points, and these new fields are covered with bluegrass to the mountain summits, but so clearly is the line drawn between the cleared land and the forest that a few gentle swells in the land at various points; but in the main it is all as level as meadow.

BEAUTIFUL VIEW.
The first glimpse of the garden is caught from the road on the side of Richmond, and the view is a most beautiful one. This glimpse is through the gap by which the waters of the creek leave the valley. It is still a matter of two or three miles before the valley is entered, and the beautiful view is spread out before the eye of the delighted beholder. It was at 10 o'clock in the afternoon when I first saw the garden, and the view was still that I have not looked upon a fairer in Virginia. The landscape, as level as prairie, was a most beautiful combination of woodland and meadow, field and mountain. The sun was shining as brightly as in midsummer, though the clouds were gathering on the mountain peaks. Smoke was rising from a dozen farmhouses, the cattle were lowing and the denizens of the barnyards were calling each in his own language. Herds of cattle and flocks of sheep were grazing in nearly every field. In many orchards the farmers were gathering the fruit before the leaves were off the trees. All around the "garden" rose the blue mountains, standing as eternal sentinels guarding the homes of people of Happy Valley. I had never looked upon such a scene before, and can hardly hope to see its like again.

A MOUNTAIN MENU.
A mile further, and well into the valley I stopped for dinner at a farmhouse, where travelers are entertained. Mr. H. B. Groselove, the proprietor, and his wife, are ideal hosts and the dinner served was ideal. For a few dollars of money we were treated to a most delicious meal, and butchered at home, old-fashioned salt-risen bread, milk which would be called cream in any hotel of my acquaintance, grapes, just pulled from the vines by the dining-room windows, homemade pickles, jellies and preserves. The table was set with a most beautiful and fashionable furniture in hall, sitting-room and dining-room took me back to days when a visit to "grandma's" was the climax of childish joys. The host himself was old-fashioned in his farmer clothes and beard skin cap. One or two remarks indicated that he is a devout believer in "the old-fashioned religion." But there were well-filled bookshelves in the house and I saw several newspapers and magazines. The Times-Dispatch is a regular visitor. Mail is brought into the valley every day.

Mr. Groselove is a man of great intelligence and a delightful talker. He told me much of the history of the valley, and the story of the origin of the name, which I have given above. Like everybody else who lives in Burke's Garden, he is strongly inclined to think it the finest spot on earth. He admitted that the winters are pretty cold in the Garden, but he was willing to forego a blazing fire for the sake of the view, and he was as bright as though the mercury were in the nineties.

The thermometer sometimes registers ten or twelve degrees below zero," he said, "it goes to zero every winter." The railroad station at Tazewell is 2,375 feet above sea level. Burke's Garden must be several hundred feet higher.

Cattle for shipment abroad is the chief product of Burke's Garden. It is solemly claimed that the blue grass which grows in the Garden makes larger cattle



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NOMINATED BY ONE VOTE

Crabbe Defeats Dr. Sydnor for the House.

PORTSMOUTH PRIMARY

A Quiet Triangular Contest for the House—A Republican Candidate Who is Not a Registered Voter in His District—Gossip.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WARSAW, VA., Oct. 8.—Full returns from all the precincts in Northumberland and Westmoreland give Mr. W. B. Crabbe a majority of one over Dr. W. P. Sydnor, as the Democratic nominee for the House of Delegates for this legislative district. In Westmoreland Crabbe received 262 votes and Sydnor 1. In Northumberland the vote stood Sydnor 311 and Crabbe 51.

NOT A VOTER

Republican Candidate Said to Be Disqualified.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Oct. 8.—It was announced to-day that W. B. Richardson, the candidate nominated by the Elizabeth City county Republicans for the House of Delegates to oppose C. Locke Collier, is not a registered voter of that county, and therefore is not eligible as a candidate.

Registration in Charles City.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
TETTINGTON, VA., Oct. 8.—The registration board for this, the Chickahominy, magisterial district, completed its labors the 7th instant and added 33 white voters and 7 colored voters to the roll, making a total of 31 white voters in this district and 65 colored voters.

D. Gardiner Tyler is putting up a strong fight against L. M. Nance, incumbent, for Commonwealth's attorney.

C. L. Babcock, for treasurer, and John L. Nance for sheriff, have no opposition so far.

Lewis Christian, for commissioner of revenue, will get a full vote in this, Chickahominy, district, and no doubt will be elected by a safe majority over A. L. Franklin, present incumbent.

YORK REGISTRATION.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
YORKTOWN, VA., Oct. 8.—Registration closed here Wednesday last, with ten white and five colored names added to the list of those already registered. Not a single white applicant was turned down, while eight colored were rejected. The list now stands 48 white, 40 colored, or